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Water Main Replacement

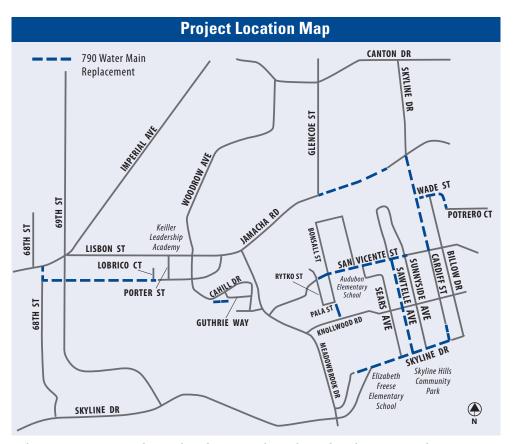
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Project Description

ater Main Replacement Group 790 consists of installing nearly three miles of new 12-inch durable plastic water mains to replace the deteriorating cast iron pipes that are nearing the end of their service life.

These improvements will reduce maintenance needs, increase the size of existing mains to better serve the area, improve service reliability and minimize future water main breaks caused by aging pipes. The total cost of this project is estimated at \$5.2 million.



The water mains are located under several residential and commercial streets. The replacement work will occur in phases during the next year and will not affect all streets at the same time. Project 790 also includes a segment of work in La Jolla along Nautilus Street.

Work Schedule

Preliminary construction is anticipated to begin as early as May 2010 and continue in phases for approximately one year.

Normal work hours are Monday through Friday, 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. Please note that the construction crew may need to extend working hours in case of an unforeseen circumstance. Residents and stakeholders will be promptly notified of construction schedule updates via door hangers, project newsletters and the project web site.

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If you have any questions about this project, please call our public information line at (619) 533-4207.

What to Expect

Crews will install a 2-inch main called a highline above ground that will service impacted residences and stakeholders while the new water main is being installed. During this process, there is a small risk of temporary water interruptions. Once the new mains are put into service, crews will reconnect water service to the newly installed main and remove the temporary highlines.

This project involves the open-trench method of construction. At the end of each workday, crews will securely cover all open areas with metal plates. Motorists are advised to drive with caution over these plates and to be mindful of bicyclists and pedestrians near the construction area. All impacted roadways will be resurfaced at the end of the project.

The project team is working with businesses at the intersection of Jamacha and Cardiff Streets as well as Freese Elementary and Audubon Elementary schools in altering the construction schedules to minimize safety concerns and traffic delays. Residents, staff and students will be updated upon schedule changes.

While construction creates unavoidable noise, detours, dust and dirt, the team will minimize the disruption as much as possible. A traffic control crew will keep motorists moving safely through potential lane closures and detours in the work zone. Please observe all traffic signs and safety personnel in the area.



Contact Information

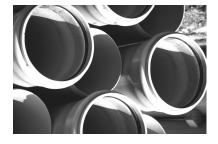
Additional information about this project can be found at www.sandiego.gov/engineering-cip. Click on "Projects & Programs." You may also call the public information line at (619) 533-4207 or email engineering@sandiego.gov. Please reference Project 790 – Jamacha/Skyline in the subject line and provide your address in your contact information in the email. Allow one business day to receive a response. To report an emergency water main or meter break, please call (619) 515-3525.

Para obtener esta información en español, por favor llame al número (619) 533-4207 y deje un breve mensaje en español con su número de teléfono.





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